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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
Tomoyuki MIYASHITA ) Examiner: D. Dang  
Application No.: 09/587,906 ) Group Art Unit: 2621  
Filed: June 6, 2000 )  
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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Sir:

In response to the final Office Action dated July 26, 2005, please amend the application as indicated below.